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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on May 14, 2010, in the above-identified patent application.

Please amend this application as follows, without prejudice:

- **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper; and
- **Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.